

NDU Regional Defense Counter-Terrorism Fellowship Certificate



MASL: B171798

The Certificate Program

- 16 new students-per-semester
- Three semesters/year
- 48 Students-per-year
- 3 courses-per-semester for two semesters

Evening Academic Seminars

- With students from all Executive Branch agencies and Congressional Staffs
- 1st semester—General Courses Encouraged
- Second Semester—Broad range of options tailored to individual interests and needs
- Fall/Spring: Electives from all NDU Schools

Courses

- U.S. Foreign Policy in an Age of Global Terrorism
- Geopolitics and Strategy Foundations and Issues in Homeland Security
- Organizing for Homeland Defense
- National Security and Civil Military Relations
- The Global War on Terrorism

Courses (cont)

- Transforming the Business of Government
- Comparative Homeland Defense Strategy
- Democratization and U.S. National Security
- National Security Decision-making
- Force and Statecraft
- Transformations of U.S. National Security Since 1940

Day Programs: Exposure to Counter Terrorism People & Issues

- Small group field studies—one week—robust program
- Interaction with Washington area policy community
 - Agency presentations, mini courses, research oversight
 - Two-way agency visits—FBI, CIA, HLS, DOD (HD), State Dept

Day Programs (cont)

- Briefings: NDU symposia and local think tanks
- NDU National Strategic Gaming Center, Centers for Technology, Counterproliferation, INSS
- Informational briefings—SO/LIC; Country briefs
- Short, non-credit courses
 - Leadership studies, Internet/LAN, Democracy, Evolution of U.S. Defense Policy
- Participation in NDU Regional Center (NESA, CHDS, Africa) programs

Field Studies Program

- NDU International Student Management Office
 - Field trips portraying American society & institutions
 - *Short trips interspersed with academic work*
 - *Long trips between semesters*
 - Visits to U.S. locations throughout 30-week program
 - *Private homes; Industry; Cultural exhibits; Farms; Schools; Historical points of interest; Sporting events; Civic activities*

Field Studies Program (cont)

- All programs accompanied by frank discussion of:
 - U.S. Government structure (3 branches; checks & balances; political parties, free press), ethnic groups, labor unions, economic system, educational institutions, family and community life, religious institutions, environmental protection, etc.